

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: PRE-LICENSING CHECK ON LCM VESSELS TO IRAN

(MC CASE NOS.94200 AND 94182)

1. DAYTONA DIESEL DE CALIFORNIA, DBA, GENERAL PROPULSION INTERNATIONAL INC., 16222 PACIFIC COAST HIGHWAY, HUNTINGTON, CALIFORNIA SUBMITTED APPLICATIONS FOR NINE LANDING CRAFT, MECHANIZED (LCM-6), VALUED AT \$168,000, TO IRAN. THE VESSELS ARE CONSIGNED TO MARITIME COMPANY, LTD., AVE KARIM - KHAN ZAND NO. 12, 4TH FLOOR, TEHERAN AND ARE SUPPOSEDLY TO BE USED EXCLUSIVELY FOR FREIGHT UP AND DOWN THE COAST OF IRAN. THE VESSELS WERE SOLD BY THE DEFENSE PROPERTY DISPOSAL SHIP SALES OFFICE, P.O. BOX 100, PORTSMOUTH, RHODE ISLAND AND HAVE BEEN COMPLETELY DEMILITARIZED.

2. THE EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO VERIFY THE TRANSACTION, DETERMINE THE OPERATIONAL RELIABILITY OF THE IRANIAN PURCHASER, THE EXACT END USE FOR THE VESSELS AND FURNISH A RECOMMENDATION AS TO THE ISSUANCE OF THE EXPORT LICENSES. THE DEPARTMENT WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION AS TO THE LIKELIHOOD OF THE VESSELS BEING TRANSHIPPED TO SOME OTHER  
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